REMARKS

Claims 4, 17-20, 21 and 22 stand rejected under § 112 for indefiniteness. Claims 1-22 and 34 stand rejected under § 103(a) primarily over the newly cited Perkitny and Adams references. Claims 35 and 36 were objected to as depending from a rejected claim and the remaining Claims 23-30 stand allowed. With the present Amendment, it is believed that all of the objections have been obviated and that the claims are now in condition for allowance.

The cited references fail to teach or suggest that "when one of the plurality of coin receiving tubes of the same size is positioned to receive the coins, another of the plurality of coin receiving tubes of the same size is positioned to be taken out of the receiving container". In the present invention, when the first coin receiving tube is positioned to receive the coins, the coin sorting member starts its operation again and the user can take out the second coin receiving tube from the receiving container. However, in the newly cited Perkitny reference, when one coin receiving tube is positioned to receive the coins, the other coin receiving tube cannot be taken out. In Adams, there is only one coin receiving tube.

With the present invention, it is possible for the user to wrap up the coins received in the second coin receiving tube while the coins are continuously received in the first coin receiving tube. Therefore, the user can more conveniently and quickly sort and wrap up the coins. This is not the case with the cited art. It is respectfully submitted that each of the claims

in the application recites patentable subject matter over the cited art. It is therefore requested

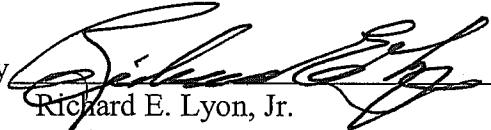that those claims be allowed and the application passed to issue.

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